



ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION for Lexington-Fayette County, Kentucky
P.O. Box 21732 Lexington, Kentucky 40522-1732

ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION MEETING

April 7, 2008

Tates Creek Public Library

4:00 p.m.

The meeting was called to order by Sandy Camargo.

Guest Presentation #1:

- Darryl Bennett, Senior Engineer at the Lexington Division of Water and Air Quality, discussed EPA lawsuit and the need for public participation.
- There are a large number of local organizations (neighborhood associations, friends organizations, etc) that have an interest in the actions that will be taken to correct the water issues in Lexington. The Division of Water and Air Quality would like input from these groups.
- The Division of Water and Air Quality needs a group to gather information from these organizations, summarize their concerns and requests, and present this information to the Division of Water and Air Quality as needed.
- The commission was asked to represent local organizations in discussions of capital projects that will be forthcoming.
- A subcommittee will be formed to handle this task. Subcommitte members are:

Paul Swoveland
Kirk Catinna
Jim Rebmann
Larry Rhodes
Jean Tighe
John Kiefer
Faith Fiene

Guest Presentation #2:

- Information was presented on the Bluegrass Green Groups Calendar and Quarterly Gathering

Treasures report:

Steve Jackson presented the balance of the budget before the meeting was \$3478.01.

Officers Report:

Jim Rebmann shared information on the Wolf Run Clean Up and Founders Day.

Old Business

- Litter cards were reviewed. It was noted that the URL needed to be updated. A suggestion was made that the logo be moved.

New Business:

- It was decided that \$750 would be spent on rain gauges. The rain gauges would be given away at Reforest the Bluegrass and Arbor Day.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

Commission members and guests present: Sandy Camargo, Darryl Bennett*, Larry Rhodes, Faith Fiene, Betty Hollingsworth, Helen Weissinger, Sarah Donaldson*, Paul Swoveland, Kirk Catinna, John Kiefer, David Butler*, Amanda Plakosh-Angeles, Jim Rebmann, Jean Tighe, Steve Jackson, Jaclyn Phelps*, Ester Moberly*, Rich Gersony*

*guests

Next Meeting: Monday May 5th, 2008 at 4:00 pm. Location is Tates Creek Library.